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SUBJ: DANISH FOREIGN MINISTER CONDEMNS ISRAELI MILITARY  
ACTION IN LEBANON AND PLO TERRORISM

1. TODAY'S DANISH PRESS CARRIES THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT BY  
FOREIGN MINISTER K. B. ANDERSEN MADE YESTERDAY IN DIRECT  
RESPONSE TO THE ISRAELI MILITARY ACTION AGAINST LEBANON.

"IT IS THE DEFINITE OPINION OF THE DANISH GOVERNMENT  
THAT NEITHER TERROR ACTIONS, AS THE ONE WE EXPERIENCED SOME  
DAYS AGO, NOR OTHER FORMS OF POWER WHICH WE NOW SEE THROUGH  
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THE EXTENSIVE ISRAELI MILITARY ACTION IN LEBANON, WILL CON-  
TRIBUTE TO THE SOLUTION OF PROBLEMS IN THE MIDDLE EAST, ON  
THE CONTRARY.

"IN THE PRESENT SITUATION IT IS OF DECISIVE IMPORTANCE  
THAT NONE OF THE PARTIES TO THE STRUGGLE ACT IN WAYS WHICH  
PREVENT A PEACEFUL SOLUTION.

"THE WORLD WAITS FOR FUTURE PEACE EFFORTS WHICH MUST NOW  
HAVE THEIR CHANCE.

"SEEN AGAINST THIS BACKGROUND EVENTS OF RECENT DAYS IN  
THE MIDDLE EAST MUST CAUSE GRAVE CONCERN."

2. COMMENT: ANDERSEN WAS SPEAKING ONLY FOR THE DANISH GOVERN-  
MENT, NOT IN DENMARK'S CAPACITY AS PRESIDENT OF THE NINE.  
THE EC POLITICAL COMMITTEE, HOWEVER, MEETING HERE YESTERDAY  
AND TODAY, MAY WELL RECOMMEND A SIMILAR STATEMENT ON BEHALF  
OF THE NINE. END COMMENT.  
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